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## Volunteer opportunities and taking action on HUD's latest proposed rule

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Dear Activists,

This week, we've got two ways for you to take action around homelessness!

First, our federal housing department (HUD) has proposed a new rule that makes it harder for families to stay together in subsidized housing when they have mixed immigration status. We're sending in our comments on how problematic that is and you can too.

Second, our very own Cat Kim and Josh Scarella are hosting a presentation on the 2019 Homeless Count along with a panel on homelessness on July 17 in Los Feliz. It's a great opportunity to learn more about what's going on in our area.

We've got [Saturday Suppers](#) all Summer long! We'd love your help this week or next. Sign ups are below.

Looking forward to seeing you soon.

Warmly,

The SELAH team

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## Call to Action Re: HUD's New Proposed Rule

Our federal housing department (HUD) has proposed a new rule that would prohibit families with mixed immigration status from living together in any kind of public or subsidized housing. Basically, people can have all kinds of eligibility statuses AND people can be legal immigrants and not be eligible for subsidized housing. So if a family happens to have someone who is not eligible for subsidies living with someone who is, they're proposing to evict the ineligible person.



As Angelenos trying to offer solutions to homelessness, we know rules like this can force people onto the streets. And in this case, people also means children.

Send a public comment about this rule by **Tuesday, July 9**. Takes 5 minutes. We swear.

[Send a comment](#)

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## Volunteer with Us!

**Saturday, July 13**

Engagement

1:00 - 3:00pm

Experienced Volunteers Only

[Register to volunteer](#)

**Saturday Supper**  
2:00 - 6:00pm  
New Volunteers Welcome  
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## **Other Upcoming Events**



### **Screening of "The Advocates"**

*Monday, July 15 at 8pm*

Join us for a free screening of The Advocates and panel discussion on homelessness with the director Rémi Kessler, The Shower of Hope's Mel Tillekeratne, and SELAH Neighborhood Homeless Coalition's Cat Kim moderated by Everyone in LA's Caleb Crowder.

[Register to attend](#)

### **2019 Homeless Count**



## Presentation and Panel

*Wednesday, July 17 at 6pm*

Please join us for a presentation by the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) and a panel discussion on Homelessness in Los Angeles.

Earlier this summer, we discovered homelessness has increased by 16% in the city of Los Angeles and 12% in Los Angeles County in the past year. LAHSA will present a more detailed look at the data compiled during the count, the reasons behind the increase, and what we can do to solve this crisis. The presentation will then be followed by a panel discussion.

[Register to attend](#)

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